





TO-MORROW will be observed a  
Sunday in the Churches

Mr. Hugh McCollum, Sanitary Superintendent, is expected to arrive by the German mail steamer *Bayern*, due here on Wednesday next.

GUNNER G. P. Lammert won the monthly carbine competition of the Maxim Gun

The German mail s. s. *Bayern*, carrying the German mails with dates from Berlin to the 24th September, left Singapore yesterday (Friday) at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 24th inst.

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To-morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam-launch *Dayspring*, carrying the Bethel flag, will call alongside any vessel holding such passport &c. to convey

Mr Bruce Shepherd, Deputy Land Officer, has called a meeting at the Court House of Lot-owners in the Tsingshan District.

for Friday next, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing an Arbitrator to act on their behalf under the Ordinance.

The Band of the 1st Shropshire L. I. will play the following programme at the Cricket Match this afternoon, commencing at 3.30 o'clock:—

March	"Push dem Clouds Away"	"Elliot."
Quadrille	"Risquey Rackety"	"Goodwins."
Revue	"Robbie Burns"	"Hawthorne."
Selection	"Pugliesi"	"Leonovale."
Selection	"The Merry Dancers"	"Walstead."
Selection	"Folk Songs of Italy"	"Walstead."
Folk	"Farfado"	"Hawthorne."

It is reported, says the *Chinese Mail* (*Wah Tsu Yat Po*), that Mr E. B. Drew, Commissioner of the Canton Customs, will shortly go home on leave. His *locum tenens* will be Mr E. Farraco, Commissioner

of Customs, formerly in Leppa, who has just come down from the north, being one of the married officials sent south with their families by Sir Robert Hart.

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LAST night a general meeting of members was held at the Warrant Officers' Club, Blue Buildings. Mr G. Martlew (President) occupied the chair. The meeting elected a new Secretary *vice* Mr T. H. Hooper, who is leaving by the *Wien* for the north in a few days. Mr Wilkinson was unanimously elected to fill the office. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded the retiring Secretary for his past services.

REFERRING to the recent execution at Singapore, the *Free Press* remarks:—The criminal's brother has applied for the body, who delivered it to him after the execution, but it is not yet used. The body is still there but it is not proper to that effect. We only knew of a Burman named Bah Hla, who held a good position in the firm of Messrs Bullock Brothers some fifteen years ago. There were many curious circumstances connected with his execution. The condemned asked to see his coffin. He was himself liberally sprinkled with eau de Cologne, went to the gallows with a cheroot between his lips and a rose placed in his hands plinked behind him. After hanging the usual time, the goal superintendent, a medical man, and a few other men went into a room, put on a table, and then "made a drink," and to be able to swear to death before he

In view of the proposal which has been made in Hongkong for an amalgamation of the two sections of the legal profession, the following report, from the  *Herald*, of a meeting of the legal fraternity in Sydney may be of interest. "The members met in the Attorney General's chambers for the purpose of considering the desirability of such a driving wedge, without the intervention of solicitors, in non-contentious matters, and also the desirability of counsel accepting instructions directly from accused persons upon their trial, and appearing in court for them without an attorney. The meeting was called by the Attorney General

the Bar, who were desirous of having these questions discussed in connection with an Act of Parliament lately passed giving solicitors the right of audience in all the courts of the colony. It was explained that the subject was a matter of observation and comment amongst the members of the Bar that in certain country towns there had been an almost systematic exclusion of the Bar from professional work, by solicitors acting in such a way as to practically preclude junior members from the opportunity at those places. It was recognised that the right of audience, members of the Bar were not in any way prevented from accepting briefs from or advising clients without the intervention of solicitors, but it was unanimously decided that the etiquette of the Bar which had obtained in England for many years should remain absolutely unaltered.

Mr. Fogg: "What made you so late coming from school?" Tommy: (just returned from Queen's College) "Teacher kept me in." "For what?" "For a misunderstanding." "Well, what sort of a misunderstanding?" "Why, I didn't understand my geometry lesson."

"In the blood is disease, the body is diseased. Remember that the blood, whether pure or impure, circulates through the organs of the body, the heart, brain, stomach, kidneys, lungs, etc. If the blood contains poison, the poison spreads disease on its course. In cases of Scrofula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds the effect of Clifton's Blood Mixture is marvellous. Thousands of wretched souls have been cured."

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the	Minister for Mines	Mr H. Foster.
who	and Water Supply	
tha	Minister for Public	
inda	Works and Agri-	Mr J. W. Taverne.
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has	Minister for Rail-	Mr H. E. Williams.
been	ways .....	Sir Fred. Sargood.
	Minister for Defence	M.L.C.
later	Solicitor-General ..	Mr Henry Outcher.
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crypt	Mr W. McCulloch,	Mr J. R. Keir.
	Trapp, M.L.C. Mr R.	W. Vain, M.L.C.
LY	and Mr R. McLean,	Honorary Ministers.
	The members of the	new Ministry, with
ward-	the exception of Foster,	were sworn
ness	into the new Ministry	at the following
the	Parliament will	assemble the
	20th October.	
	<b>YIELD IN A PORTLAND WHEAT ELEVATOR.</b>	
	London, Sept. 24.—A fire has occurred	
	in a wheat elevator at Portland, Oregon.	
	Half a million bushels of wheat were	

**SHEEP DYNAMICS.**

London, Sept. 24.—In addressing a meeting at Dublin Mr. J. E. Redmond, M.P., has demanded that the Irish dairy farmers, on the ground that the cattle which they were imprisoned were the result of high and pure motives.

**EUROPEAN SUGAR-BEET PRODUCTION.**

LONDON, Sept. 24.—Herr F. O. Lickfeldt, the Hamburg correspondent of the *Magborough*, reports that the production in his monthly report that the production of European sugar-beet for the past year shows an increase of 264,000 tons. The surplus for the campaign is estimated at 474,000 tons.

**PRIESTON HOWARD MANICIAI.**

LONDON, Sept. 24.—At the Manchester September Meeting to-day the contest as to the leading event resulted as under:—  
THE PRIESTON EDWARD HANCOCK OF 80 lbs. won the three-year-olds and upwards second to one by 90 seconds.  
The third 100 sec. out of the plate. I mile off Lord Scarborough's br o 3 years, by Beaulieu—Strathbrook, C. Myers, by Mr. J. P. Bateson & Co. Worcester  
Mr Douglas was beaten by Sempronius;  
PETERCHICK BY THE BATHURST.  
Perth, Sept. 24.—The Japanese Bromoo, Roobank Bay, recently arrived.

**BRIGANDAGE IN GREECE.—****TWO OFFICIALS**  
**KILLED.**  
**LONDON, Sept. 20.**—A band of brigands, known as the "Lamia," at Lamia, in Greece, captured a Judge, a public prosecutor, and two assistants, who formed a commission appointed by the Greek Government to inquire into the cause of the prevalence of brigandage, and the best means of suppressing it. It was while the members of the commission were engaged in their inquiries at Lamia that they were seized by the brigands as they carried off to the mountains, where they were held for ransom.

On the day of the capture residing at Lamia a body of troops was sent in pursuit. The soldiers exterminated the band, but in the encounter with the outlaws the Judge and the public prosecutor were killed.

**CHOLERA IN RUSSIA.**  
**LONDON, Sept. 21.**—Cholera is raging in many parts of Russia. The deaths numbered 400 weekly.

For the past quarter of a century there has been one continuous flow of letters bearing testimony to the truly wonderful cures effected by the use of the Sulfur Water of the famous Hot Spring of Buzsaky, Hungary. The blood-purifying and skin-soothing effects brought to light, Sufferers from Scrofula, Eczema, Erysipelas, Itch, Skin Diseases, Psoriasis, and Sores of many kinds are so relieved, that the use of the water is sold everywhere, at 2s. 9d. per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes.

THE BLOOD is the source from which all systems are built up, and from which we gain our strength and vitality. If the blood is diseased the body is diseased. Sufferers from Scrofula, Eczema, Erysipelas, Itch, Skin and Blood Diseases, Psoriasis, etc., are advised to give the Sulfur Water of the famous Hot Spring of Buzsaky, Hungary, a trial. It will give the most wonderful Blood-purifying and Skin-soothing effects. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by its use.

**RELIGIOUS SERVICES.**  
**St. John's Cathedral—Roman Service.**  
 9.30 A.M. (Holy Communion 2nd and 4th St. Sunday in Lent, 1st day.) Matins at 11. Holy Communion at 11.15. Evensong at 6.30. 1st day of Lent. 11 o'clock service on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th St. Sunday in Lent in the month. Evensong at 5.45.  
**St. George's Church, Kennedy Road—Ministerial Service.**  
 Rev. G. J. Williams—Services at 11.00 A.M. and 6 P.M.  
**ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL—On Sunday.**  
 Masses at 6 A.M., 7.30 A.M. and 9.30 A.M. Benediction at 6 P.M.  
**St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road—S. A. Service.**  
 Mass at 8 A.M.; 5.30 P.M. Evening Service. Benediction.

**St. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH**, Seafarers' Home.—Service on Sunday, at 11 a.m., 8.30 p.m. The Holy Communion is administered on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in the month at 11 a.m.; on the 2nd and 5th at 7.30 a.m.; and on the 4th, at the Evening Service.

**WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH**.—Divine Service at 10.35 a.m. in the Wesleyan Church, Wanchai.

**GERMAN BROTHERS CHURCH**.—Service in German language by Pastor F. F. H. Geyer, on Sunday, at 11 a.m.; at the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, West Point.

Passage.				
HONGKONG, October 20, 1894.				
1	n London—			
2	Rank Wire, . . . . .	2/1		
3	On demand, . . . . .	2/1		
4	30 days' sight, . . . . .	2/1		
5	4 months' sight, . . . . .	2/1		
6	Credit, 3, 4, 5, 6 months' sight, . . . . .	2/1		
7	Documentary, 4 months' sight, . . . . .	2/1		
8	On Paris—			
9	On demand, . . . . .	2/1		
10	Credit, 4 months' sight, . . . . .	2/1		
11	On Berlin—Demand, . . . . .	2/1		
12	On New York—			
13	On demand, . . . . .	61		
14	Credit, 60 days' sight, . . . . .	58		
15	On Bombay—			
16	Wire, . . . . .	191		
17	On demand, . . . . .	191		
18	On Calcutta, . . . . .	191		
19	Wire, . . . . .	191		

On demand	191
On Shanghai	78 1/2
On demand	78 1/2
30 days sight private paper	78 1/2
Gold Lion 100 days (post 1)	78 1/2
Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)	\$ 2.20
Silver (per oz.)	30 1/2

	Previous day's (last day)	On date 10 a.m.	On date 5 p.m.
Barometer	30.02	30.09	30.07
Temperature	75 1/2	76	79
Humidity	64	67	69
Direction of Wind	N	N	N
Force	1	1	4
Weather	c	b	c
Rain			

Highest open air temperature on the 19th.....58  
Lowest open air temperature on the 19th.....46  
F. G. BROS.,  
First Assistant,  
Houkens Observatory, Oct. 20, 1904.

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**St. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL—Parade Service**  
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**UNION CHURCH, Kennedy Road.—Minister**  
 Rev. G. J. Williams.—Services at 11.00 A.M. and 6 P.M.  
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 Mass at 6 A.M., 7.30 A.M. and 9.30 A.M. Benediction at 6 P.M.  
**St. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, Garden Road.—S. A. Mass and Sermon; 5.30 P.M. Evening Service.**  
 Benediction.

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Exchange.				
Hongkong, October 20, 1894.				
n London—				
Bank, Wire	...	...	...	2 1/2
On Demand	...	...	...	2 1/2
30 days' sight,	...	...	...	2 1/2
4 months' sight,	...	...	...	2 1/2
Credits, 4 months' sight,	...	...	...	2 1/2
Documentary, 4 months' sight,	...	...	...	2 1/2
On Paris—				
On Demand,	...	...	...	2 1/2
Credit, 4 months' sight,	...	...	...	2 1/2
On Berlin—Demand,	...	...	...	2 1/2
On New York—				
On Demand,	...	...	...	61 1/2
Credit, 60 days' sight,	...	...	...	58 1/2
On Bombay—				
Wire,	...	...	...	191 1/2
On Demand,	...	...	...	191 1/2
On Calcutta—				
Wire,	...	...	...	191 1/2

On demand .....	191
On Shanghai .....	78
On demand .....	78
30 days' sight, private paper .....	74 1/2
Gold & silver, 100 m. (per 100) .....	100
Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) .....	100
Silver (per oz.) .....	30

	Prices at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 5 p.m.
Barometer .....	30.02	30.09	30.07
Temperature .....	75 1/2	76	79
Humidity .....	64	57	59
Direction of Wind .....	N	N	N
Force .....	1	1	1
Weather .....	c	b	c
Rain .....			

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Rain .....	—	—	—

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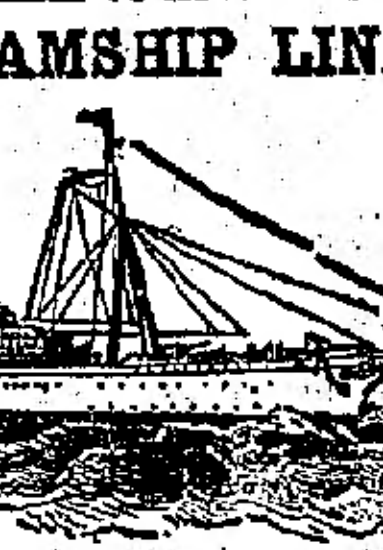


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mistake to let such matters pass for fear of giving trouble, & course, which generally gives more trouble in the end.

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- Such covers, when addressed to places other than Hongkong or China, must be prepaid two cents each in stamps at receipt.
- Circulars, &c., must not exceed 2 ounces each in weight. Patterns, Almanacs, &c., must be under 4 ounces each in weight, and heavier articles will be charged ordinary rates.
- Envelopes containing Patterns, &c., may be wholly closed if the nature of the contents be first exhibited or stated to the Postmaster General, as he may consider necessary, and approved by him. Printed circulars may be enclosed in pattern packets.
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### ATION : — OCTOBER 20, 1894.

Date	Day	Weather	Remarks
Oct 20	Sat	90 % sales and sellers	
Oct 21	Sun	11 % 1.1 nom.	
Oct 22	Mon	1 % 1.5	
Oct 23	Tue	1 % 8.1 u \$21, nom.	
Oct 24	Wed	25 % 50 \$150, sellers	
Oct 25	Thu	83.3 % 2 \$361, sales	
Oct 26	Fri	20 % 2 \$174, buyers	
Oct 27	Sat	10 % 20 \$16, sellers	
Oct 28	Sun	25 % 25 \$127, sellers	
Oct 29	Mon	.69 all \$75, buyers	
Oct 30	Tue	25 % 2 \$76, sales	
Oct 31	Wed	25 % 50 \$150, sellers	
Nov 1	Thu	20 % 20 \$20, sellers	
Nov 2	Fri	120 all 78 % prem., steady	
Nov 3	Sat	50 all \$65	
Nov 4	Sun	5 all \$48, sales	
Nov 5	Mon	20 all \$25, sales and sellers	
Nov 6	Tue	10 all \$40, sales	
Nov 7	Wed	50 10 30	
Nov 8	Thu	10 10 5	
Nov 9	Fri	10 10 1	\$18, \$7, \$2½, \$1, sellers
Nov 10	Sat	100 all \$159, sellers	
Nov 11	Sun	100 all \$48, sellers	
Nov 12	Mon	60 all \$37, sellers	
Nov 13	Tue	100 37 \$40, sellers	
Nov 14	Wed	100 50 \$50, sales	
Nov 15	Thu	50 30 \$10, sellers	
Nov 16	Fri	10 all \$10, nom.	
Nov 17	Sat	54 40 \$19, steady	
Nov 18	Sun	100 all \$70	
Nov 19	Mon	5 a \$4, sales	
Nov 20	Tue	4 32 \$4, sales	
Nov 21	Wed	50 \$500 \$45, buyers	
Nov 22	Thu	10 all { \$2, sellers ; \$1½, buyers }	
Nov 23	Fri	1 13/10 35.10, sellers	
Nov 24	Sat	500 all { nom. }	
Nov 25	Sun	10 10 nom.	
Nov 26	Mon	50 all \$4, sellers	
Nov 27	Tue	50 a \$10, buyers	
Nov 28	Wed	10 a \$10½, sales	
Nov 29	Thu	5 a \$1	
Nov 30	Fri	10 a \$125, buyers	
Dec 1	Sat	10 \$4, sellers	
Dec 2	Sun	14 all \$5, buyers	
Dec 3	Mon	15 \$12.6 \$4, sellers	
Dec 4	Tue	11 a \$4, sellers	
Dec 5	Wed	20 a \$19, nom.	
Dec 6	Thu	10 all \$36	
Dec 7	Fri	10 all \$67, sellers	
Dec 8	Sat	60 all \$76	
Dec 9	Sun	60 all \$108, nom.	

Value	Interest	Quotation
£ 1.250	7 % p. annum	10 % prem., sales
£ 500	6 % prem.	\$500

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